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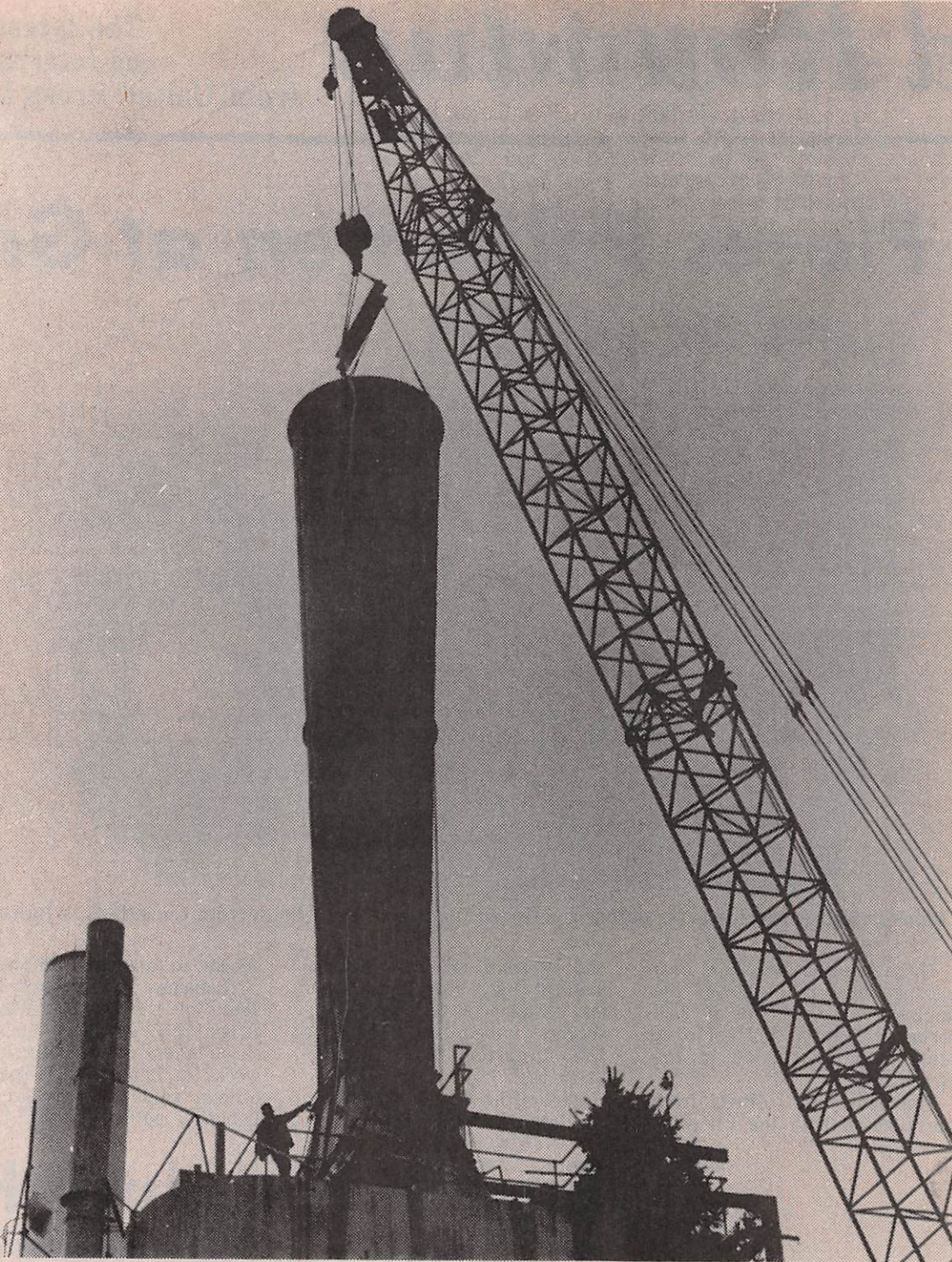
Rocky Mountain Construction Co. crewmen toppled the towering smokestack at Utah Power & Light Company's Hale Plant this morning.

The smokestack was a landmark near the mouth of Provo Canyon since construction of the hydro-power plant in 1936.

Shift supervisor Evan Murdock said the plant hasn't been used for about 15 years, and company officials ordered removal of the stack earlier this year after an audit that questioned the stamina of the metal stack against high winds from the canyon.

The Hale Plant, referred to as #1 Unit, sits with the Olmstead Plant on the south side of Orem's 800 North St. The plant was the backbone of the steam plant system in the area until the 1950s, when it was put on standby because generation was too costly and modernization to meet air quality standards of the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency would have been too expensive, Murdock said.

Removal of the smokestack began Tuesday but was stalled because the crane cable wasn't long enough. Thirty feet were added to the boom today, but crews still struggled to remove stubborn base bolts before dropping the stack.



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## Lebanon Places Policemen at Green Line

BEIRUT, Lebanon (UPI) — Lebanon's warring factions today agreed to keep their artillery battles out of residential neighborhoods after a day of bloodletting left at least 26 people dead and 136 others wounded.

In a related development, U.S. Middle East envoy Donald Rumsfeld in Beirut today reaffirmed President Reagan's support for the Lebanese government. He was to head home later today.

The agreement to spare residential areas was reached at a four-hour meeting of Lebanon's new Higher Security Political Committee, a group of top-level representatives from warring militias, the regular army and the government.

The meeting ended at 2:30 a.m., and conference sources said the participants agreed to "halt the random shelling," a reference to recurring artillery, mortar and rocket barrages on civilian areas on both sides of the Green Line, which divides Christian east Beirut from the Moslem west.

"Important measures were taken and their results will gradually emerge on the ground," a government spokesman said. He did not elaborate.



Moslem fighters fire mortar across the Green Line separating them from Christians in Beirut.

The agreement was part of a package deal that allowed the deployment today of a 300-strong Lebanese police force along a vital section of the Green Line.

The police unit, drawn from barracks in both the Christian

and Moslem sectors, is commanded by a Moslem officer and assisted by 40 French "observers" called in to replace the 1,250 departing French peacekeepers.

Part of the main French force has left Beirut, and the rest is

scheduled to leave by Saturday.

"Lebanese police have filled some of the vacated French Green Line positions, and will share others until the end of the week," a Lebanese government official said. "After that, the Lebanese police unit will be on

## Briefs

### Chile Police Kill Attacker at Dawn

SANTIAGO, Chile (UPI) — A suspected left-wing guerrilla was killed and two policemen wounded in an attack on a police patrol today shortly after a strict dusk-to-dawn curfew ended.

The gunmen, who police believed to be leftist guerrillas, fired on a police car with machine guns and then fled but the

policemen pursued them and shot one of the attackers, police sources said.

The shootout, in which two policemen were wounded, occurred in a working class neighborhood on the east side of Santiago where three people died in clashes with police during anti-government demonstrations during the past three days.

## Eighth Freighter Hit

MANAGUA, Nicaragua (UPI) — A freighter loaded with 10,000 tons of molasses set off a mine planted at a major Nicaraguan port by U.S.-backed rebels, the government said. It was the eighth vessel to hit a rebel-placed mine.

There were no immediate reports of injuries.

Before the mine hit was reported Wednesday, neighboring

Honduras warned Nicaragua that if it backs up its threat to have leftist Salvadoran guerrillas mine other Central American ports, a regional "conflagration" will occur.

The Nicaraguan Foreign Ministry said the Liberian-registered freighter Inderchaser hit a powerful mine about 11 a.m. EST Wednesday just outside the Pacific port of Corinto, some 55

## Salvadoran Death Squad Threatens Election Officials

SAN SALVADOR, El Salvador in counting of the votes to prevent

### Weinberger Denies Missile Pressure